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PATENT  
Attorney Docket No. 1197-278

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re Application of: )  
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Takashi Tsunoda et al. ) Group Art Unit: 1764  
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Application No.: 10/588,785 ) Examiner: To be Assigned  
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Filed: August 8, 2006 )  
 ) Confirmation No.: 2794  
For: Method for Producing Alcohol and/or )  
Ketone )

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

**REPLY**

In reply to the Notice of Non-Compliant Amendment dated May 25, 2007,  
enclosed is a corrected **AMENDMENTS TO THE CLAIMS** section of the  
**PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT** filed February 6, 2007.

If there is any fee due in connection with the filing of this Reply, please charge  
such fee to our Deposit Account 06-0916.

Respectfully submitted,

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Dated: June 4, 2007

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